Steps to Certification CM II NEW - CPRP/CPRC

Please review the **NEW** Case Management Rules:

- Chapter 50. Standards and Criteria for Certified Behavioral Health Case Managers
- These will provide you with the qualifications, prerequisites, and timelines for application and certification
- Please review them carefully as there have been critical changes

You need an NPI (National Provider Identification) Number:

- Everyone needs to get a National Provider Identification Number before you begin
- Use this link National Provider Identification (NPI Number to apply for your number
 - PLEASE MAKE NOTE: YOU WILL NEED TO REFER TO THE FOLLOWING DURING YOUR NPI APPLICATION PROCESS
 - o Add Taxonomy Code, click next
 - o Select from the drop-down menu "171M00000X- Case Management/Care Coordinator" click Save
 - Check (the dot) left to Case Management/Care Coordinator, click on next and complete the rest of the application
- If you already have an NPI number, please use that number

Complete the Online Application:

- DO NOT CREATE ANOTHER ACCOUNT IF YOU ALREADY HAVE ONE
- THIS WILL ONLY DELAY PROCESSING OF YOUR APPLICATION
- FOR ASSISTANCE CONTACT THE HELP DESK AT (405) 248-9000 Option 0
- Access to the online system (click here for new accounts)
 - Create a user id and password.
 - o BE SURE TO SAVE YOUR USER NAME AND PASSWORD
 - You will need it throughout this process and each year to complete your renewal
 - For assistance with your user name and password, please contact the help desk at 405-248-9000 Option
- Case Management On-Line Application & Pay Fees online (click here for existing accounts)



- Choose this Registra
- o Complete each tab with your information.
- Everyone is required to pay the \$25.00 Initial Application Fee ONLINE.
- **O ALL FEES MUST BE PAID ONLINE ONLY**
- Look for "PAY BILLS" Button in the Upper Right-hand corner of your account.
- o Please print your receipt to attach to your application documents.
- **ODMHSAS employees are exempt from the initial fee of \$25.00.
- o Use the Submit Button, and the "Application Inventory Page" will appear.
- Print this "Application Inventory Page."
- Once you hit the submit button, you only have six (6) months of your initial application date to complete the certification process.
- o If you do not complete the certification process within six (6) months, of your initial application date, your application will expire and
- You will be required to start the entire application process all over from the beginning and
- No refunds or credits will be given for any fees

Mail your application to us:

• Once you have completed your online application, print the Application Inventory Form, attach the following documents, and mail to the address below:

- Application Inventory Form with Signature
- Current Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation criminal history report
- Printed receipt showing online payment of Application Fee \$25 or Recertification Fee \$15 (if applicable)
 (ONLINE PAYMENTS ONLY NO CHECKS NO MONEY ORDERS) (No Refunds)
 - o New Application Fee: \$25.00 must be paid online- print your receipt
- Official College or University Transcript showing the degree and the conferred (graduation) date
- Copy of RN (Registered Nurse) Licensure Card (if applicable)
- CPRP Certification Card/Children's Certificate (if applicable)

Mail Completed Application to Attn: Case Management

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Application Approval Process:

- Applications will be reviewed in detail on a first-come, first-serve basis
- Applicants who send in incomplete applications or applications needing corrections will be notified by e-mail of the needed corrections.
- If your application needs corrections, your application may be returned to you by mail either to the home address or place of employment listed in your online account.
- Once we approve your application, you will receive an e-mail:
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Pay Face to Face Training Fee

- Once we approve your application, you will receive an e-mail:
- Log back into your account and pay your \$50.00 Face to Face Training Fees
- All Payments must be made online.
- **ODMHSAS employees are exempt from Face to Face Training Fees.
- If you do not complete the certification process within six (6) months, of your initial application date, your application will expire and
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Register for Face to Face Case Management Training – For all scenarios

- Please review the Training Information and Schedule on the Behavioral Health Case Management page.
- Please select a first and second choice of dates that you would prefer to attend and
- Send Ramona Ramona.Gregory@odmhsas.org an e-mail to let her know what your preferences are.
- Ramona will make every attempt to give you your choices, but the classes fill up fast, so she may just have to register you for the next available training.
- Ramona will send you a Registration Confirmation E-mail with more information regarding the training.
- At the end of the training, you will be given your Official Exam Approval Document.
- If you do not complete the certification process within six (6) months, of your initial application date, your

- application will expire and
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Schedule your Exam:

- CareerTech Exam Site Information
- Contact the Career Tech site of your choice to schedule your exam
- Career Tech sites charge a \$45.00 fee.
- The testing protocol requires an Oklahoma State issued identification, pre-scheduling of the exam, Official Exam Document at all exam sites.
- Be sure to take your exam as soon as possible. Your Exam Approval Document has an expiration date on it and
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Prepare for and take your exam:

- The Online Training and the Face to Face Training will prepare you for the exam, but if you feel you need additional information, we recommend reading the following material:
 - The Strengths Model: A Recovery-Oriented Approach to Mental Health Services; 3rd edition; Charles A.
 Rapp & Richard J. Goesha
 - A portion of The Strengths Model: A Recovery-Orientated Approach to Mental Health Services is on Google Books for free
 - Barnes and Noble
 - Amazon.com
 - "TIP 27: Comprehensive Case Management for Substance Abuse Treatment"
- After you finish reading the materials, please contact the career tech exam site of your choice to schedule a time
 to complete the web-based exam.
 - o Go to Exam Site Information for a list of testing sites and contact information.
 - You must call ahead and schedule an appointment to take the exam.
 - You will not be allowed to test without an appointment.
 - The Exam fee you pay directly to the Career Tech is \$35.00. Please contact the Career Tech for the types of payment they accept.
 - o Bring your Exam Approval Document with you to the testing site,
 - o Bring your driver's license or state-issued id with you to the testing site.
 - Applicants must contact the test site to find out what forms of payment are accepted.
 - Exam letters will not be sent to the testing site.
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Successful Exam Completion

- Upon successful exam completion, you need to fax two documents to Ramona
 - Fax your Coaching Report (exam results) to 405-366-2304.
 - o Print off this Verification of Employment Form take this form to your employer for them to complete or
 - Your employer can print off the <u>Verification of Employment Form</u>; the applicant completes the top portion of the form, and the employer completes the bottom portion.
 - Then fax or e-mail the completed <u>Verification of Employment Form</u> to Ramona. Fax (405 366-2304) or Email (<u>Ramona.Gregory@odmhsas.org</u>).
 - Your employer must be a contracted agency with ODMHSAS or OHCA to provide Case Management Services, according to Chapter 50. Standards and Criteria for Certified Behavioral Health Case Managers
 - You cannot complete your Case Management Certification unless you are employed with a contracted agency.
 - o If you cannot provide a <u>Verification of Employment Form</u> within six (6) months, your application will

- expire and
- o If you do not complete the certification process within six (6) months, of your initial application date, your application will expire and
- o You will be required to start the entire application process all over from the beginning and
- o No refunds or credits will be given for any fees
- You will be notified when to print off your certificate when you have successfully completed the Case Management Certification process.

Print Certificate



- Sign in to Access Control through Secure Access Icon
- · Click on Registration Icon
- Select Behavioral Health Case Management
- Print Certificate button will appear next to Advance to Registration
- Print your certificate (make sure your Pop Up Blocker is turned off)
- Please make a note of your Certification Expiration Date on your certificate and make sure to familiarize yourself with the Recertification Process as outlined in <u>Chapter 50</u>. <u>Standards and Criteria for Certified</u> <u>Behavioral Health Case Managers</u>
- Please visit our <u>Behavioral Health Case Management</u> website for more information regarding the Recertification Process.

You cannot bill for Case Management Services until you can print off your certificate.